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A TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

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STATEMENT UNDER RULE 37 CFR § 1.125

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit herewith a substitute specification. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. Sec. 1.125, applicants have also provided a marked-up version. No new matter has been added to the substitute specification. Applicants respectfully request the substitute specification be used for purposes of publication of the instant application.

Respectfully Submitted,



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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.115**

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to examination of the above-identified patent application, kindly amend the application as indicated below.

**In the Specification:**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.125(b), please delete the specification filed in the International application in its entirety and enter the substitute specification filed concurrently herewith. Applicants assert that the substitute specification includes NO NEW MATTER. Pursuant to Rule 125(b)(2) and 125(c), a marked-up version of the substitute specification showing all of the changes to the original specification is being submitted along with the substitute specification in clean form without markings as to the amended material.